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Please replace the paragraph beginning at page N, line N, with the following amended paragraph:

Figure 4 illustrates an exposed view of a phone 400, incorporated with the teachings of the present invention, in accordance with an alternate embodiment. For the embodiment, unlike the embodiment of Fig. 1, user wellness verification function 232, including optional motion sensor 216, are embedded in interchangeable cover 400a of phone 400. Cover 400a is designed to mate with core unit 400b of phone 400 covering front surface 410a400a and the side surfaces 410b-410c400b-400e.